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FOR: CONTROLLING DATA  
TRANSMISSION ON A DATA STORAGE  
NETWORK BY SELECTING FROM  
MULTIPLE TRANSMISSION MODES

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 26, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.